मानव अधिकार अथवा इन कमजोर वर्गों की स्वतंत्रता का उल्लंघन करने वालों के खिलाफ कड़ाई और तेजी से कार्रवाई की जानी चाहिए।

Aerial Survey by BSF

4097. SHRI AJIT P. K. JOGI:
SHRI CHHOTUBHAI PATEL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Border Security Force has started an aerial survey on the Kutch border;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether some dead bodies have been recovered by the Border Security Force in the Rann of Kutch;

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the causes of their death;

(e) the countries to which the dead persons belonged;

(f) whether the Central Government have informed these countries of the incident; and

(g) if so, the reaction of these countries thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) Aerial survey was carried out by BSF over Rann of Kutch in May, 1992.

(b) The main purpose of this aerial survey was to ascertain if there were more dead bodies and to find out about movement of persons in that area, if any.

(c) to (e) 40 dead bodies were found during patrolling on 14/15 May and 27/28 May 1992. These bodies were of Bangladeshi nationals who were pushed by the Pakistani Rangers into the Indian territory. They died due to dehydration. Break up of these 40 dead bodies is as under;—

Male : 1 (About 55 years)

Male : 10 (About18 to 35 years)

Female 8 (About 18 to 35 years)

Children : 21 (About 4 to 13 years)

(f) and (g) The matter has been taken up with the Pakistan authorities at appropriate level.

Arrested Employees in Jammu and Kashmir

4098. SHRI AJIT P. K. JOGI:
SHRI CHHOTUBHAI PATEL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of employees of the Central and State Governments arrested in Jammu and Kashmir on charges of their involvement in the activities of terrorism, during each of the last three years and so far during the curent year;

(b) the number of employees belonging to Paramilitary and Defence forces out of them alongwith the posts held by them; and

(c) what action, if any, has been taken against them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) 223 Government employees (206 State Government employees and 17 Central Government employees) yere arrested for thier involvement in anti-national activities during the period under report.

(b) 8 Constables of ITBP

2 Constables of CRPF

1 Constable of BSF

1 Corporal of IAF

(c) Criminal proceedings have been launched against them.